GOVERNOR SIGNS CAMINETTI BILL.

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MAYOR MOTT GROWS ANXIOUS

A verbal altercation between Mayor Mott and Thomas I. Casey, Secretary of the Alameda County Tax Association last Tuesday brought out the fact that Mayor Mott is growing anxious over the water district election. He resents the interference of the Tax Association in delaying the water district election in order to save the county $40,000 election expense. He is also afraid of a water famine. In answering the appeal of residents to compel the People's Water Co., to put in new water mains, the Mayor went up into the air. That nigger in the woodpile is wriggling and is liable to be discovered. Listen to what Mayor Mott says:

"We will not be in a position to offer these people relief until we have municipal ownership of our water system. We cannot compel the water company to extend its service. Besides It has not the money to improve its system. We were progresslng in fine shape toward municipal ownership under the plan of a metropolitan water district when the Tax Association, by its indiscreet action, practically blocked the project. We had been working for four years to bring about an election to pass on the matter and the County Supervisors had fixed a day in July, when the Tax Association appeared on the scene and demanded a bond issue of more than a million dollars for a new infirmary be tacked [illegible] ject is up in the air.

"The Tax Association is all theory. It is not practical. It would seek to save $40,000 for an election without stopping to consider the result. Why, $40,000 is no more than a fly speck on a water mellon (People's Water Co., melon we suppose—Ed.) in comparison with the grave danger that confronts the proposed metropolitan water district. God help us if we have another dry season. We are face to face with a grave danger and this Tax Association would spoil all our efforts to provide against an appalling situation by trying to save a few dollars."

We want the people of Washington Township to read the foregoing words from Mayor Mott and then note these facts. **The People's Water Co., in 1906 took 4,000,000 gallons of water a day from the Alvarado wells.** It is now taking over 8,000,000 gallons a day. **Nearly one half** of the present water supply for Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda comes from Washington Township gravel beds. The increased supply of the People's WaterCo., in thepast five years has all come from Washington Township.

Is it any wonder that wells in Washington Township are going dry every week? And here we are at only the beginning of a dry season. Suppose Mr. Farmer, that from today on the People's Water Co., were to take only 4,000,000 gallons a day instead of 8,000,000 gallons, what effect would that have on the underground water supply?

And now will Mayor Mott please tell the people of Washington Township how the organization of a municipal water district is going to put more water into the ground unless it brings that water from the Sierra Nevada mountains? The frenzied haste of Mayor Mott in urging the water district election is not to be wondered at. Every day's delay means a better chance for the people of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda to learn the truth about the value of the People's Water Co., property. If Mayor Mott were interested only in a municipal water district he would not worry about a few weeks delay. The nigger wriggling in the wood pile is the inflated value of People's Water Co., securities that rest upon the successful absorption of Washington Township's water supply. A municipal water district just now would put the entire city and county political admintstration behind the deal and this with the People's Co., influence is expected to put it over. Further delay may mean further opportunity for the farmers of Washington Township to protect their rights for it will not be so hard for them to fight the People's Water Co., alone as it will to fight a big city to boot.

"God help us if we have another dry season", says Mayor Mott. "Thank God for the dry season for bringing out the truth" say we, and God help us from the selfish exploitation of Mayor Mott and the Peoples Water Co.

THE NEW COUNTY WATER DISTRICT LAW

GOVERNOR JOHNSON SIGNS CAMINETTI WATER BILL--IT GOES INTO EFFECT AUG. 10

It Is the Weapon by Which the People of Washington Township Can Defend their Rights. It Is a Great Victory for Our People Out of Which Still Greater Ones May Be Achieved.

"The Governor has signed that bill", was the joyful message that we received from Al. McCabe, Governor Johnson's private secretary Monday afternoon. This was the last day and we were getting anxious. We had called up the Governors' secretary several times during the week but the bill had not yet been acted upon. It was Monday or another long wait for two years, so [illegible] that message came we could [illegible] help shouting "Good!"

WHAT IT MEANS.

What is the Caminetti County Water District Law? It is a law that gives unincorporated territory the right to organize a water district. It is a general law that will greatly benefit many of the counties of the State and do much for their development.

To us it is at once our weapon of defense against the big corporations and cities that are threatening our ruin and it is also the means whereby our district can be made much more prosperous and populous.

It has been our dream for the past five years to see the people of Washington, Pleasanton and Murray Townships united in the defense of their greatest asset, their water supply. Some day that is coming true. It may beseveral years away, but the County Water District Law is the first step. We will heve to proceed slowly and carefully. The odds against us are tremendous and every bit of loyalty and patriotism on the part of our people will be needed to bring about success.

WHAT BROUGHT IT ABOUT?

The Caminetti Water District Law is an outgrowth of our local agitation on the water supply question. The Caminetti bill itself was not introduced to meet our local situation, but was intended to meet certain conditions in the mountain counties where mining corporations long since acquired valuable water rights and are not using them to the advantage of the section in which they are located. The bill was introduced two years ago, but failed of passage. This year after we had found out how Oakland had tricked us and we were casting about for a remedy we seized upon the Caminetti bill as the best means to accomplish our end. Several amendments were made in the bill by Senator Strowbridge and Senator Caminetti on the advise of Attorney Nourse of the Water Committee and passed both the senate and assemby by a good vote. Assemblyman Beck did excellent service in the assembly. The meeting at Centerville and the money raised as the result of that meeting have helped greatly to secure the passage of the law in the shape it is in. The Committee worked also to secure the adoption of the Strowbridge bill which amended the present law. The only effect of the Strowbridge amendment could have had, would have been to defeat the incorporation of the Metropolitan Water District. It is true it would release the Alvarado section from that district, but that probably can be accomplished in another way.

A GREAT VICTORY.

The passage through the legislature and the signing of the Caminetti bill by the Governor is a great victory for Washington Township. The full effect of the Caminetti law and its potentialities for this section expand with the years. There [illegible] but for the first time in the history of our township there is a law that will permit us to protect, restore and conserve our greatest resource.

THE NEXT STEP.

The most essential thing now is for the collectors in the Niles, Centerville and Irvington districts to get busy wwith their collections. The money will be needed at once.

GOES INTO EFECT AUG. 10.

The law goes into effect August 10. In the mean time the necessary preparations for the formation of the district willbe carried along and as soon as possible the election will be called for the formation of the district.

WATER COMMITTEE BUSY.

In the meantime the Water Committee will keep close tab on the situation. Considering the big interests that are involved in the situation, the Water Committee, must to a certain extent, become a board of strategy and silence, and in this respect it must ask the patience and confidence of the public. What it needs most of all right now is money and every cent will be accounted for to the people of the district.

THE WATER DISRICT BILL.

We publish herewith a large part of the County Water District Law and recommend that all who are interested in the water question, save it as it will be very useful for reference in a fw mmonths from now.

THE NEW LAW

Sec. 1. A County Water District may be organized and incorporated and managed as hercin expressly provided and may exercise the power herein expressly granted or necessarily implied.

Sec. 2. The people of any county or city, and county, or portion of a county, or city and county, whether such portion includes unincorporated territory or not, in the State of California, (having a population of not less than one thousand inhabitants(, may organize a county water district under the provisions of this act proceeding as herein provided. 5

Sec. 3. This section provides for the petition which must be signed by ten per cent of the number of votes cast for governor at the preceding general election.

Petition shall set forth and discribe the boundaries, shall pray that the same be incorporated text of petition published for at least two weeks, in at least one, but not to exceed three newspapers printed and published in such county, together with notice stating the time at which such petition will be presented with publication, also published a notice of the time of meeting of board when such petition will be considered and that all persons interested therein may then appear and be heard.

Board may adjourn such hearing from time to time not exceeding FOUR WEEKS IN ALL. On the final hearing, said board shall make such changes in the proposed boundaries as may be deemed advisable and shall define and establish such boundaries. But said board shall not modify said boundaries so as to exclude from such proposed district any territory which would be benefitted by the formation of such district; nor shall any lands which will not, in the judgment of said board be benefitted by such district, by means of any of said systems of works, be included within such district. Any person whose lands are benefitted by such district may upon his application, in the discretion of said board, have such lands included within said proposed district. Upon such hearing of said petition the Board of Supervisors shall determine whether or not said petition complies with the requirements of the provisions of this act, and for that purpose must hear all competent and relevant testimony offered in support or in opposition thereto.

Board shall give notice of election to be held.

Describe boundaries shall state pro[illegible]ame, (which name shall contain the words "—County Water District"(, notice published four weeks, in at least one, but not to exceed three newspapers in one county.

"If the majority of the votes cast at such election in each municipal corporation or part thereof and in the unincorporated territory included in such proposed water district shall be in favor of organizing such county water district, said board shall by an order entered on its minutes, declare the trritory enclosed within the proposed boundaries duly organized as a county water district, etc.

If less than a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said proposition the organization fails, but without prejudice to renewing proceedings at any time in the future.

Within 90 days after its formation ....proceed with the election of a board of directors, consisting if there are no municipalities within the boundaries of said district, of five members....one additional for each municipality, appointed by the mayor of municipality.....directors elected for four years....appointed for six years.

The directors are nominated by a petiion conaining a leas 25 names They are elcd at large. They are given power to appoint a general manager, a secretary and an auditor. No director, however, is eligible to any of these offices. Among other duties of the directors are:

1. To have perpetual succession.
2. To sue and to be sued.
4. To take by grant purchase gift devise or lease, hold use, enjoy and to lease or dispose of real and personal propertyof every kind within or without the district, necessary to a full exercise of its powers.
5. To acquire by purchase, lease, or otherwise, water rights, waterworks, canals, conducts, reseivoirs, storage sites, water-sheds, works. mmachinery, lands, rights and privileges, for the uses aforesaid, for the benefit of the district.
6. To store water for the benefit of the district; and to conserve water for futur euse and to appropriate, acquire and preserve water and watr rights and for this purpose to sue, intervene and compromise, in the name of the district, and to assumme the costs of litigation involving the ownership of water rights within the districts and those used and useful for the purpose of the district or of any of the lands situated therein. 5
7. To lease of and fromm any person, firm or public or private corpora tion, with the privilege of purpose, or otherwise existing, water rights, water works, canals, or reservoir systems; and to carry on and mmaintain the samme; also to sell water, or theusethrof, for irrigation, power or other useful purposes, and whenever thr is a surplus, sell or otherwise dispose of the samme, to mmunicipalities or towns, or to consume, located within or without the boundaries of the district.

Sec. 8. To have and to exercisee th right of eminent dommain in the manner provided by law for the condemnation of private property for public use, to take any property necessary to supply the district or any portion thereof with water whether such property be already devoted to the the same use or otherwise, and may condemn any existing water rights, canals, reservoirs, storage sites, wateer-shds, water works or system, or any portion thereof owned by any person, firm or corporation; provided that property and water rights of municipal corporations shall not be subject to the provisions of this section. In proceedings relative to the exeercisees of such right, th district shall have the samme rights powers and privilege as a municipal corporation.

Sec. 9. To borrow money and insure indebtedness and to issue bonds or other evidences of such indebtedness; also to refund or retire any indbteeedness or lien that may exist against the district or property thereof.

Sec. 10. To make contracts, to employ labor, and to do all acts necessary for the full exercisee of the foregoing powrs.

Seec. 20. The board of directors in the furnishing of water, shall fix such rate as will pay the operating expenses of the district, provide for repairs and depreciation of works owned and operated by it pait, pay section to require the district to pay the interest and principal of its bonde debt from the revenues of the district.

Sec. 21. Provides for a tax when revenues are unsufficient to pay interest or principal on bound debt.

SSec. 23. Provides for ordinances for the districts by the initiative.

Sec. 24. Provides for disapproval or veto of ordinancesby thhe electors of the district, referendum.

Sec. 25. Any portion of a county or any municipality or both, may be added to any county water district organized under the provisions of this act, at any time, upon petition presened in the manner herein provided for the organization of such water district, which petition may be granted by ordinance of the board of directors, directors of such water districts. Such ordinance shall be submitted for adoption or rejection to the vote of the electors in Such Wate District and in th proposeed addition at a general or special election held days after the adoption of such oras herein provided within seventy dinance.

THE FOURTH IN NILES

WILL BE CELEBRATED WITH A BASEBALL GAME, STAGE HOLD-UP BY THE ESSANAY'S AND MANY OTHER FEATURES.

A varied and interesting program of sports andother features is being arranged for the Fourth of July under the auspices of the Niles Baseball Club.

Under the personal direction of G. M. Anderson the Essanay Company will give a realistic stage hold up scene and at the same time show how moving pictures are made.

A baseball game between Niles and Pleasanton is arranged. Possibly an aviation exhibit will be among the features. A lively time is promised.

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THE LIBERTY OF THE PRESS IS THE HIGHEST SAFEGUARD TO FREE GOVERNMENT. — Col. E. D. Baker.

OUR GREATEST GOVERNOR

THIS paper did not follow Governor Jonhson in the Roosevelt campaign. It could not do so. We have never wavered in our support of Governor Johnson's State administration.

The close of the period for signing bills this week and the great number of splendid bills signed must bring out a sense of gratitude that such a man as Hiram W. Johnson happens to be our governor. He has done more to make California a truly progressive, democratic commonwealth in this short term than all the governors of California before him combined. No praise too high can be bestowed upon him. Under his leadership California has been truly redeemed and after Aug. 10, will be in fact the most progressive State of the Union.

Even the most enthusiastic Lincoln-Roosevelt leaguers five years ago never dreamed of such achievements as the past three years have brought to California. When President Wilson comes to spend the summer of 1915 in California he will be able to take lessons home even to New Jersey.

The people of California have come into their own. All honor to Governor Hiram Johnson, the greatest governor California has ever had, call him progressive, progressive republican or whatyou will.

LETTER FROM DR. CURRY

1578 Neil Ave.,
Columbus, Ohio,
June 10, 1913.

Editor, Washington Press,
Niles, California.

Dear Sir:—

Before we left California for our Eastern trip something was said about an occasional letter for your columns, and a few lines may now be in place. We, my wife and I, left home on March 31, and on the following day started out from Oakland at noon. We left amid sunshine and flowers, but before night we reached the snow-line [illegible] for two of the time and enjoyed several snow storms. We had four hours in which to see the ptahrlodloil yluilu unypoc to see points of interest in Salt Lake City, then went on through the Royal Gorge on the Denver and Rio Grande road whose magnificent scenery we greaty enjoyed.

On the evening of the third day we reached Parkville, Mo., near Kansas City, and that night we were treated to a genuine storm of thunder and lightning. At this place is lcoated Park College, one of the best Presbyterian Colleges in our country It was my privelege to preach several times to the College Church and address the Faculty and Student body at Chapel exercises, where I improved the opportunity to speak the praises of California and set forth its opportunities and advantages.

At St. Louis our friends drove us around that city of 800,000 inhabitants in their car and we wereespecially pleased with the beautiful "Forest Park" and many fine residences, surrounded by spacious grounds.

The Presbytery of Oakland sent me as a commissioner to the General Assembly of the Northern Church which held its sessions in Atlanta, Ga., from May 15 to 23. The general Assemblies of the Southern and the United Presbyterian Churches met there at the same time About 1500 commissionors attended the three bodies, and probaby 5,000 visitors. In the evening all met together in the great auditorium that seats nearly 10,000 people. These meetings were characterized by fine speaking and excellent music. One of the most interesting incidents was the singing one evening by a choir of about 50 colored women all dressed in white, from a seminary for these people located in Atlanta.

These people of Atlanta gave free entertainment to all the commissioners and proved themselves most hospitable and delightful hosts.

We reached Columbus, Ohio, Saturday afternoon, May 24, and on the next evening I preached [illegible] the large Presbyterian churches. Here andd in this vicinity we are visiting friends and scenes of my early life.

On Memorial Day a bronze monument erected in memory of soldiers from that township was unveiled in New California, near my old home. It was a large and patriotic gathering. My brother, Col. W. L. Curry of Columbus, delivered the "Historial Address' for the occasion and I acted as chaplain.

In the afternoon a "Curry Reunion" was held at the farm house of my sister, Mrs. Mary Curry Gill. Twenty-eight persons were present, and more than that many others could not be present on account of living at great distances.

On June 17 to 19 wwe expect to attend the Commencement exercises of my Alma Mater, the University of Wooster, Ohio. I am said to be the oldest of the Alumini living, and President Hoden has set apart "The Guest Chamber Suite" ffor our use while there. It is our purpose to set our faces towards the Pacific Coast, June 19,spend two days with friends in Minneapolis, then on over the Canadian Pacific road to Vancouver, B. C., to visit our daughter beforereturning to California. We have had pleasant weather, both have kept well, and nothing has occurred to mar the pleasure of our most delightful trip.

JAMES CURRY.

Niles Notes

Darrow has scores of kinds of fire crackers, little and big. As loud as you wish. Flags and flags and flags! —ad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rose of Alviso Mr. and Mrs. M. Borge of San Leandro motored to the San Joaquin last week, taking in the towns of Los Banos and Madera.

Miss M. E. DeCora is spending the remainder of the month, until July 1st, in Oakland.

Mrs. H. A. Mayhew went to Stockon today to attend the wedding of Miss Edith Atherton of that city to Lester Wolcott of San Francisco.Mr. and Mrs. Will Cobb are to attend the bride and groom as matron of honor and best man at the wedding.

Miss Marguerite Ogden of Oakland and Miss Annette Adams of Modoc County have opened a law office in the Monadnoch Building in San Francisco. The many friends of Miss Ogden in this vicinity feel sure of her success in her chosen profession.

Mas. Schofield is in San Jose over the week end attending Club meeting.

Mrs Mosher and Mrs. Hunt entertained at a party yesterday.

Mr. ane Mrs. Sneden write of the enjoinment of their Eastern trip. When last heard from they were touring Vermont and New Hampshire in automobile. Mr. Sneden is a native of Vermont and his parents still reside there.

Mrs. O. Waleport and little daughter left on Monday to join Mrs. Mendell at Lake Tahoe-Lakeside Park.

Miss Kell our genial assistant in the P. O. is taking her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cutler of San Jose visited in Niles on Sunday and Monday with friends. They were returning from the G. A. R. reunion for the Pacific Caast at Reno, and were enthuiastic over their entertainment by the citieens of leat city as well as Virginia city and Carson.

A POLITICAL JOKE

The following is ffrom the political writer who styled himself "Mat Rix" in the Township Register last week but who ffurnished the identical "dope" in the Hayward Review under the old nom de plume,"The Politician", The seriousness with which these political slight-of-hand performers describe the thrusting aside of the political crown by Rev. Jones is really quite humerous. Imagine a man of Rev. F. V. Jones standing and ability being crowned with the Murphy laurel wreath by Bill Moore, a saloon keeper, while Luther W. Rood who solicited and received the $10 per from each saloon keeper of the township last year, standing by waiting to deliver the scales of justice into the minister's hands.

This is how "The Politician" would have you believe it all happened. He doubtless heard it ffrom the M. K. throne in Oakland himself:

"How a Minister Refused an Honorable Political Job."

The Rev. F. B. Jones off Niles put aside a political place, even though that place wwas honorable and was one that would have been in keeping with the man and his character.

It happened that the Rev. F. B. Jones resigned his charge at Niles last week, and at the same time Supervisor Murphy was casting about to ffind someone whom he could appoint Justice off the Peace of Washington Township to succeed T. F. Fereria of Decoto, who had died the week prvious. The question was put squarely to the retiring minister as to whether he would take the appointment ifit was offfered to him. There was a moment of hesitation, and then the minister's wife placed her influence against the deal and Mr. Jones refused.

"Rev. F. V. Jones has made a tremendous immpression upon the life off Niles. He has not been content to simply conduct the spiritual liffe of his church, but he has taken an active interest in the material life of the entire community. He served as president of the local Chamber off Commerce, and showed in more ways than one that he was inerested in the advancement off the community outside of the work of the church.

"In all of the liquor fights in and about Niles, the Rev. F. B. Jones has always taken part, but he has always been fair until he has acquired the respect of all, even iff they did not always agree with his point of view. So the appointment of the Rev. F. B. Jones would have been a popular one in Washington Township if he had been willing to accept it, and he could have had the place if he had been willing to serve."

Report of Condition
—of—
Bank of Centerville

at Centerville, Cal.
at close of business on the 4th day of June, 1913.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$450,339.06
Overdrafts	None
Bonds, Warrants and other securities	116,555.28
Bank Premises	4,500.00
Due from other Banks	164.64
Due from Reserve Banks	79,906.01
(a) Gold and Standard Dollars	29,030.00
(b) Subsidiary and Minor Coins	3,123.27
(c) Gold Certificates	4,780.00
(d) Silver Certificates	20.00
(e) United States Notes	500.00
(f) National Bank Notes	62.00
Checks and other Cash Items, U. S. Money Orders	105.00
Total	**$689,085.26**

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$ 75,000.00
Undivided Profits less expenses and taxes paid	5,332.66
Individual Deposits subject to check	154,663.32
Demand Certificates of Deposit	4,343.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	393,369.37
Cashier's Checks	6,796.14
State, County and Municipal Deposits (secured by bonds)	35,000.00
Postal Savings Deposits	580.77
Total	**$689,085.26**

State of California)
) SS
County of Alameda)

Jno. G. Mattos Jr., President and F. T. Dusterberry, Cashier, of the above named Bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing statement is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

JNO. G. MATTOS Jr., President.
F. T. DUSTERBERRY, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me, by both deponents, the 14th day of June, 1913. LENORA C. MATTOS, Notary Public.

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$ 49 548.22
Bonds, Warrants and other Securities		21.043.41
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures		9,306.95
Due from other Banks		814.67
Due from Reserve Banks		58,690.08
Actual Cash on hand		11,961.72
Gold and Standard Dollars	$8,730.00	
Subsidiary and Minor Coins	3.051.72	
National Bank Notes	180.00	
Total		**$151,365.05**

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in	$ 25,000.00
Undivided Profits, Less Expenses and Taxes paid	1,350.06
Individual Deposits subject to check	75,220.87
Time Certificates of Deposit	38,133.41
State, County and Municipal Deposits (secured by bonds)	10,400 00
Postal Savings Deposits	660.71
Total	**$151,365.05**

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St. Joseph	60.00	Quebec	116.50
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES AT CENTERVILLE

The last regular preaching service at the Centerville Presbyterian church before the summer vacation will be held Sunday, June 29th at 11. a. m. The church will be closed from June 29th to August 3rd.

The pastor earnestly desires and hopes that all members of the Congregation who remain here during July will attend the services of the St. James Episcopal church, which expects to continue its Sunday services during July. Thus we may help realize Christ's prayer that we all may be "one."

The pastor and his family will spend their holidays at Mt. Hermon. a well known summer resort in the heart of the Santa Cruz mountains. Mrs. Herriott's father, Mr. A. L. Taylor of East Oakland is President of the Mt. Hermon Association,which last season entertained eight thousand people in the Summer Assemblies and Special Conferences of Christian Workers. Mt. Hermon is California's greatest gathering place for Christian Workers and "a House of Power for all who serve our Lord." The evening camp-fire, the delightful social hours in the cottages, the scenic beauty of forest and stream, tennis, bathing, rowing and bowling, all encourage companionship with Nature and the pure fellowship of Christian people.

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The Children's Day offering amounted to $7.50, the lowest in the record of the Sunday school.

AN ABLE ADDRESS.

Rev. Father Scanlonof San Francisco who is temporarily in charge of the Mission San Jose parish during the absence of Rev. Father Mackey delivered the baccalaureate address on Sunday evening in the high school assembly room. There was a large attendance and Father Scanlon held the close attention of all present by his able address. He emphasized the valueof living, of maintaining a high standard and pointed out to thegirls that the standard that they exacted would be the measure of their influence.

His address was full of deep thought andwisesuggestions and was lighted up with a pleasane wit.

The address was considered by those present one of the best ever given at the high school.

ADDITIONAL NILES NOTES

Mrs. Clara Wilson returned Tuesday to Belvoir after spending s[illegible] weeks with Mrs. Burchell in Oakland.

Rev. and Mrs. Jones are planning to spend theid summer vacation at Shasta Retreat. Mr. and Mrs. Jones visited over Sunday last with the family of Mr. Jones' brother in Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher parents of Mrs. Clarence Martenstein. leave next week for their home in Pennsylvania.

Everything from a baby fire cracker to a big sky rocket at Darrow's. Exhibition pieces made to order.—ad

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

At the Union Sunday School picnic on June 7th in Niles Canyon, a very enjoyable day for the young folks was spent. Miss Guielma Crocker had charge of the arrangements and program. A unique feature of the contest was a cracker combat, each person being furnished with a cloth, club, and blindfolded with a cracker bound on the forehead. After a spirited contest, Miss Jennie Logan of Alvarado finally won from Niles. The other prize events were: Race: Melvin Nicol (Alvarado) and Marston Dassel (Niles). Race for Boys and Girls under six: Willie Fyffe (Alvarado). Race for Girls—6 to 10 yrs. :June Barth (Alvarado). Three legged race: Melvin Nicol (Alvarado) and Marston Dassel (Niles). Three-legged Race for Boys: Willie Logan and Adolph Lund (Alvarado). Race for Boys—6 to 10 yrs: Maltrie Scribner (Alvarado). Race for Girls—over 10 years: Jennie Logan, (Alvarado). Three-legged race for girls: Jennie Logan (Alvarado) and Gladys Gibson (Niles). The prize for the bunch of flowers gathered was divided between Mary Mickle (Centerville) and Viola Edwards (Oakland),Each having discovered forty-five species in a short time. Alvarado won most of the prizes and also had the banner delegation of sixty-five, forty-nine being brought by Mr. James Logan with his four-horse team.

CENTERVILLE SCHOOL GRADUATES.

The graduation exercises of the Centerville grammar school were held in the school room of the new grammar school building. Thursday evening. A large audience greeted the young peopl to felicitate them upon their success. Principal Joseph Dias deserves considerable credit for the entire thirteen members of the eighth grade received their diplomas. The members of the class ar: Ina Bell, Mary Gonzales, Eva Steeley, Angie Deas, Joseph Valencia, William Bond, Joseph Silva, Manuel Vierra, August Garcia, Joaquin Furtado,Richard Blacow and Manuel Rose.

A number of songs were rendered by the class. Principal Joseph Dias made a few remarks and the diplomas were then handed the class by District Attorney W. H. L. Hynes who made the address of the evening.

LEGUE-HIRSCH.

The wedding of Ed. Hirsch, the opular Irvington merchant, to Esslie C. Legue of San Francisco took [illegible] San Francisco this week.This [illegible] was Ed's regular day in the city to buy and he says that last Wednesday's buy is the greatest he ever made. The happy couple returned on Wednesday and were given a tin can serenade. The boys wondered why "They didn't show up" when someone suddenly found Ed in the crowd beating a tin can louderthan anyone else. That stopped the music and Ed did the right thing as he always does.

The Press congratulates the happy couple and wishes them a most happy wedded life.

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COMMERCIAL

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$437,181.66
Bonds, Warrants and other securities		71,364.75
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures		14,367.50
Due from other Banks		2,609 95
Due from Reserve Banks		132,747.00
Actual Cash on Hand		30,923.00
(a) Gold and Standard Dollars	$27,725	
(b) Subsidiary and Minor Coins	2 724	
(c) Gold Certificates	100	
(e) Silver Certificates	374	
Total		**$689,193.86**

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$ 65,000 00
Surplus	7,000 00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,883.78
Individual Deposits subject to check,	189,590.21
Demand Certificates of Deposit	38,692.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	348,365.43
Certified Checks	400.00
Cashier's Checks	1,634.58
State, County and Municipal Deposits (secured by bonds)	30,000.00
Other Liabilities	1,627.86
Total	**$689,193.86**

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August May, President, J. R. Blacow, Cashier, of the above named Bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

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NEW SCHOOL BUILDING GOING UP IN ALVISO DISTRICT IS TO COST $5500. M. H. LEWIS HAS CONTRACT FOR THE WORK.

M. H. Lewis who was awarded the contract for building the new $5500 trict has the founddation al ready laid and expects to have the building ready for occupancy by the fall term. The building will be situated on the two acre tract recently purchased from the Spring Valley Co. building will be located in the south and which adjoins the old site. The corner ofgroundsd, leaving the main part for play grounds, in the rear of the building. Thee location of the building in the fertile Alameda delta section will give it a very attractive setting.

The building itself will be finished in the Mission style and will contain two class rooms, a teacher's room, a library room, cloak rooms, a roomy corridor, etc.

The trustees purpose to install their own pumping plant. When com pleted the school will be a creditagle one quite inharmony with the oth r new school buildings in the towwnship.

The trustees of the Alvarado school are Joe Secadda, Frank George and J. F. Rose, clerk.

NATIVE DAUGHTER CARD PARTY

The card party which was to be given tonight by the Native Daughter's Parlor, hsa been postponed to Friday evening, June 27th. It will held in the dining room of the I. O. O. F. Hall. Whist will be played and there will be prizes and refreshments. 25 cents will be the price of admission. A pleasant evening is assured all who attend.

Remember the date, Friday ev ing, June 27th at 8 o'clock, adm ion 25 cents.

Centerville

Mrs. Mary Allen and Mrs. Geo. Louri have been il a few days this week, but are out again.

Miss Sadie Smith of Collinsville is visitng Miss Bess Dusterberry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bunting returned fromPortland, Sunday evening. They had a delightful time. Between the hospitalities of the "Rosaries" and the delightful plans of the 'United Artisans" there was hardly time to rest.

Garden luncheons are quite the thing. Sunday, June 8.Mr. and Mrs. Salz entertained nineteen. It was family party. Mr. Harry Salz and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen were among the happy ones.

Mrs. Gregory also gathered the family on the lawn. The Graham's being the guests of honor. Nothing can bemore pleasant than the out door luncheon.

Mrs. M. Moury was recipient of a surprise birthday party this week about seven friends came in and took possession and a delightful day was spent.

Do not forget St. James, Social, Friday evening. Besides the usual films the famous one of Mr. Lochman's beautiful home will be shown. When the County Club Ladies entertained many local people appeared prominently. All should see it, as there may not be another chance.

St. ames Sunday School hold their picnic on Saturday at Mr. Lachman's picniegrounds.Everything that the promoters can be do will be done to make it a perfect success.

There will be many guests for the week end from a distance, at the grammar school closing exercises and the High School party.

It is pleasant to have so many of our young ladies home for their vacation. Miss Grace Hawley, Miss G. Ames and Miss L. Hansen.

Alvarado

The Alvarado Chamber of Commerce has arranged for a very pleasant entertainment for Thursday evening June 26. Two comical farces and several musical selections will be rendered . The proceeds will go toward the sidewalk fund.

Albert Norris of Alvarado, formerly school principal here and at one time a justice of the peace in El Dorado county was recommended for the appointment of Justice of the Peace by quite a number of Alvarado citizens but his fat sewa as that of Ed Steinmetz. Mr. Norris is a very competent man and would undoubtedly have made an excellent official.

Mr.s Weiderholdt spent the week end with her mother in San Jose

Miss. Emma Naber was the guest of Miss Alma Norris over Sunday.

Allen Richmond and family of San Francisco and Ralph Richmond and family of Hayward spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Silva were visitors in Fruitvale Wednesday.

Manuel Avilla of Alvarado and Miss Mae Lewis of San Lorenzo were married at San Lorenzo Wednesday and will spend their honeymoon trip in San Diego and other southern points.

The Ladies Aid Society men with Mrs. E. Farley Thursday.

Mrs. Lindermann of San Jose is visiting her sister Mrs. Tainton.

Mrs. O. B. Barth entertained a few friends Tuesday evening and Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. Nicol who is soon to leave Alvarado.

The Alvarado school closed Friday The members of the graduating class are Carl Larson, Victor Lund, Thelma eKilholtz, Edmund McClean, Earl Heellwig and Thomas Nesbit.

Miss Hazel Miss Hazeel Wester field of San Francisco is visiting her aunt Mrs. P. Juhl.

Miss Edna Ralph of Oakland is spending a month's vacation with Mrs. J. Ralph.

Mrs. St. Clair and son Wesley of San Francisco spent several days with Mrs. E. Foley this week.

H. Fugel moved his family to Oakland this week.

Mrs. J. Luna, Clara Davilla and Mr. A. Davilla attended the highschool exercises at Cenerville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoerl and Mrs. J. Luna motored to Oakland Saturday.

Miss Bunker spent the week end with her brother at Newark, her sister and brother-in-law from Forest Hill is visiting there.

Mr. A. A. Lee, T. Vargas, Tom Flores, I. Larson and several others attended the league game in San Francisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knapp and Master Arthur Dees were visitors at the Dees home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rutherford spen Sunday evening in Oakland.

Mr. A. Davilla was a visitor in San Francisco the first part of the week.

Mrs. S. Aftergut and her son Lou-Louis spent one day in San Francisco this week.

Mr. C. S. Burr spent Sunday with his mother in Los Gatos.

Mr. A. A. Bettencourt and little son made a business trip to San Francisco Saturday last.

Mesdames Tainton , Lindermann, McCarty, Emery, Buchanan, Kaiser, Rlaph, Robie, Leal, and Miss Annie Lowrie spent Wednesday in Centerville attending the plays given by the High School.

A. May spent Thursday in SanFrancisco.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ralph spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Rev. Mr. Ford of Alameda has been a visitor at the Ford home this week.

H. C. Welle, Supt. of the Alameda Sugar Company after spending a few days down south has returned to his duties.

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NEWARK SLIPPED ONE OVER ON NILES LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON AND THE TWO TEAMS ARE TIED FOR FIRST PLACE.

SPORTS

RACES WILL TAKE PLACE AT NUTWOOD STOCK FARM ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON JUNE 29 AND GOOD PROGRAM IS INSURED.

NEWARK WINS FROM NILES

WIGGS WAS TOO MUCH FOR THE HOME TEAM AND NEWARK WON OUT IN TENTH FRAME OF CONTEST BY SCORE OF 5 TO 3.

"Jim Wiggs and the Cabbage Patch" is having quite a successful run locally. Before a large audience last Sunday afternoon in Sullivan's Amphitheatre at Niles the third presentation of this well known play took place. The plot was well worked out and the presentation was allthat could be desired. 0

Previously, this performance has been given in nine acts but on Sunday it was lengthened to a ten act play. Mr. Wiggs as usual took care of the title role in a very capable manner and his cast was greatly strengthened, previous performances having proved the need of it.

The gate for Sunday's Niles-Newark game was $120. The game which was pulled out of the fire by Newark in the tenth inning, was by all odds the best game of baseball played in Niles for some time in the past. Jim Wiggs certainly did "some" heaving for Newark, allowing but four hits and striking ou fiftteen men, and Nies batters are not the Newark won by a score of 5 to 3 easiest kind to strike out.

Dolan was out of luck. In the second inning Wiggs threw a close in ball to him and hit him on the wrist of his throwing arm and although he finished the game, his pitching was visibly affected by this accident. But the pitching of Dolan did not lose the game. The Niles team blew up. They were afraid of Wiggs to begin with. Then in the field they piled up a total of eight errors, which is a thing unusual.

There was no scoring until the fifth inning when two men crossed the rubber for Niles. Dolan opened the inning with a hit to center and went all the way to third on Perry's single through short-stop. Dolan scored on a passed ball after Perry was out at second. Rose singled to left, stole second and came home when McCloud dropped the third strike on Fields. Fields stole second but Roach struck out and Fusco flew out to centerfield.

The Unlucky Seventh.

Newark stepped into the lead in the seventh inning. Marshall, who had replaced Hafner in right field an inning previous, started a rally with a double to right. H. Wales singled to left scoring Marshall. Al Wales singled to center, Mc Graw was safe on Totheroh's error and Kersten landed at the initial station on Perry's error, H. and A. Wales both having scored in the meantime. It looked like the inning would be a perpetual motion affair, but McGraw was thrown out at third by Robinson after Perry's error. Then McCloud struck out and Wiggs flew out to right.

Niles evened up the score in their half of the ninth. O'Brien walked, was sacrificed to second by Robinson, went to third on a passed ball, and, after Totheroh had walked, scored when McCloud dropped the third strike on Dolan. Totheroh was our trying to come in on the play, and Perry flew out to left.

The Finish

Then came the tenth. McCloud doubled to left. Wiggs walked. Burdick laid down a sacrifice which advanced both men. Then Turner made a Cincinnatti basehit scoring McCloud. Turner was out trying to purloin second. Marshall singled to left, scoring Wiggs. H. Wales was safe on Robinson's error but Marshall was thrown out by Robinson at the plate.

The score:

NEWARK

Name	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
H. Wales lf	6	1	1	2	0	0
A. Wales cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
McGraw ss	4	0	1	0	0	0
Kersten 2b	5	0	1	2	2	0
McCloud c	5	1	1	13	4	2
Burdick 3b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Turner 1b	5	0	2	7	0	0
Hafner rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marhsall rf	3	1	3	1	0	0
Totals	41	5	13	29*	8	2

*Robinson out in 6th for failing to touch second.

NILES

Name	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Roach rf	5	0	0	3	0	1
Fusco lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
O'Brien c	3	1	0	10	2	1
Robinson 1b	2	0	1	10	2	1
Totheroh 3b	3	0	0	2	1	1
Dolan p	3	1	1	1	6	0
Perry ss	3	0	1	0	1	2
Rose 2b	4	1	1	1	0	1
Fieds cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	4	30	12	7

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

Newark	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	—	5
Hits	1	0	0	2	2	1	3	1	0	3	—13
Niles	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	— 3
Hits	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 4

SUMMARY

Two base hits: Marshall, McCloud. Sacrifice hits: Burdick 2, Robinson. Stolen bases: McGraw, Wiggs, Turner, Marshall, Robinson, Dolan, Perry, Rose, Fields. First base on called balls, off Dolan 2, off Wiggs 4. Struck out: by Dolan 10, by Wiggs 15 Double play ; Fusco unassisted. Passed balls: McCloud 2. Hit by pitcher: Dolan, McGraw.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS IN THE TOWNSHIP LEAGUE

Niles	6	1	.857
Newark	6	1	.857
Decoto	3	3	.500
Irvington	1	6	.143
Centerville	1	6	.143

RESULTS OF GAMES

Newark 5, Niles 3. (Ten innings).

Decoto 14, Irvington 11.

GAMES TOMORROW

Niles at Centerville.

Irvington at Decoto.

SULLIVAN'S SHAMROCKS

THAT IS WHAT THE NILES TEAM IS NICKNAMED. THERE ARE OTHERS FOR THE OTHER AGGREGATIONS. READ THEM.

The Nickname Contest, which has been running in The Press for the past few weeks, is over. Nicknames were selected yesterday, from the numerous proposed names and are as follows:

NILES : SULLIVAN'S SHAMROCKS
NEWARK : : : : THE TIGERS
DECOTO : : : THE LUNA-TICS
IRVINGTON : : THE INSURGENTS
CENTERVILLE : THE OLD GUARD

Among the number of other proposed nicknames were:

FOR NILES:
- The In Rights
- Wineo's
- The Cow Punchers.
- The Boosters
- The Goat-Getters
- D'Estrella's Hopefuls

FOR NEWARK:
- The Crabs
- The Whales
- The Snow Balls

FOR DECOTO:
- The Pencil Makers
- The Sidehills

FOR IRVINGTON:
- The Academics

FOR CENTERVILLE:
- The Outlaws
- The Hoosiers
- The Bear Cats

Mr. Scholten of Agnew was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. Marce is entertaining her niece from Pleasanton.

Mrs. Sigrist is here attending to improvements on her place.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Zeigenfffuss of Pleasanton were in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Bentell and son have gone to San Jose.

Mrs. L. Neustadter spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Ehrman.

Work has commeced on the new school building. In all probability it will be completed by the beginning of the new term.

Edwin Silva is ill with the typhoid ffever.

Mrs. Sowers' children of San Jose are spending the week with the Rose family.

Mrs. Sanac and daughter Agnes were in San Jose on Saturday.

Miss Addie Pinheiro has returned from Los Gatos.

R. H. Magill of Alameda motored to town on Tuesday.

Mr. Collie spent Tuesday in San Jose.

Mr. Lebrecht of Oakland was a recent visitor.

DECOTO BEATS IRVINGTON

LUNA-TICS OUTWIT THE INSURGENTS ON THE IRVINGTON LOT IN ONE OF THOSE OLD-FASHIONED GAMES OF BASEBALL(?).

Irvington lost out to Decoto in a ffeatureless game on the Irvington grounds last Sunday by a score 14 to 11 score. It was certainly a school boy exhibition although witnessed by a $40 crowd.

Stewart did not show up, Selaya had been released, and the battery for Irvington consisted of Burator and Don Williamms. They did "fairly" well, but the support was poor.

The Decoto team played better ball than the home team. Meyers pitched seven innings and did good work but weakened towards the end and was replaced by Tracey. The latter was hit a little harder but not quite enough for Irvington to win.

Peterson rapped out a home run in the sixth with two men on.

The score:

IRVINGTON

Name	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
R. Williams cf-2b	4	1	1	2	1	0
Johns 3b	5	2	1	3	0	1
Rose lf	3	4	2	2	0	2
Burator p	4	0	0	3	0	0
Sheehan ss	5	2	2	0	3	0
D. Williams c	5	2	3	8	0	2
Witherly 2b-1b	4	0	1	5	1	2
T. Kelly rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
G. Kelly 1b-cf	4	0	1	4	0	3
Totals	42	11	11	27	5	

DECOTO

Name	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
George cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Tracey rf-p	5	2	1	1	0	2
Enos 1b	6	1	1	8	0	1
O'Donnel c	6	1	0	11	2	0
F. Luna ss	5	2	1	2	4	0
Tighe 2b	5	2	2	1	0	0
Peterson 3b	4	3	3	0	2	1
Gleason lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Meyers p-rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
J. Luna rf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	44	14	11	27	8	4

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

Decoto	0	5	1	2	0	5	0	0	1	—	14
Hits	1	2	2	1	2	3	0	0	0	—	11
Irvington	1	1	1	3	0	1	0	3	1	—	11
Hits	0	1	1	2	2	1	0	3	1	—	11

SUMMARY

Two base hits: Sheehan. Three base hit: Sheehan. Home Run, Peterson. Stolen bases Rose 2, Enos 3, Peterson 2, Gleason, G. Kelly, D. Williams and Burator. Sacrifice hits: D. Williams, G. Kelly. First base on called balls: off Buraton 5, off Meyers 6, off Tracey 3. Ttruck out, by Buraton 7, by Meyers 4, by Tracey 5. Wild pitch, Tracey. Hit by pitcher: Williams and Rose by Meyers. Umpir Cavelar.

NOTES ON THE GAME

The games this week will be at Decoto and Centerville. The batteries are:

At Decoto

For Decoto: Olmstead and O'Donnel; for Irvington: Stewart and Don Williams.

At Centerville

For Centerville: Hester and Selaya. For Niles: Dolan and O'Brien.

Harry Olmstead has been hired to pitch the remainder of the season for Decoto. His salary will be $25 per game, which is not very bad. He was released by the Oakland Coast League club a few days ago and this week was taken on by the Decoto team. His first appearance will be at Decoto Sunday.

Fusco made a double play unassisted in the sixth inning of Sunday's Niles-Newark game. He caught a foul near the fence off Turner's bat with Burdick on second. Burdick was playing way off and Fusco beat him back to the bag.

Sheehan gat two good hits in five trips to the plate for Irvington on Sunday. One of them was a three base hit and the other was atwo-bagger.

A very intelligent Niles fan suggests the following daffydill: "If Dolan leaves town on the 9:28, what time does Fusco?" The young genius of the class.

A groan went up in the second inning at Niles when Roach dropped a fly from Wiggs' bat. That doesn't happen very often however, and Spider made up for this miscue by making three good catches later on in the game.

Peterson was the leading Decoto light in the matter of batting at Irvington Sundey, getting three hits in five times up. In the sixth inning with two men on base he drove out a clean home run over left field.

Robinson failed to touch second after he had driven out a clean three-bagger to deep left in the sixth inning and was called out when McGraw touched the bag. It was tough luck for Niles as Totheroh, next up, hit a grounder to second which would surely have brought "Kite" home and the run would have won the game. "What's the Use; Oh! What's the Use?"

O'Brien's work behind the bat on Sunday was good but his pegging to bases was off color.

Selaya has been signed up to do the receiving for Centerville. Hester was given a tryout in the California league with San Jose this week but has been released and will be in the box for Centerville again Sunday.

One loyal Niles rooter who doesn't forget to root when rooting is needed, is Sid Terwilliger. Sunday when Niles began to loose, Sid rooted for the home team the hardest. As a result, the receipts for peanuts and chewing gum were less than usual. Sid still wears a smile, however.

Seven "Arrows" in one game by Sullivan's Shamrocks. It was terrible. But it won't happen again.

RACES AT IRVINGTON

SECOND MEETING FOR THIS SEASON WILL OCCUR AT NUTWOOD STOCK FARM A WEEK FROM TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

A fine program of races will be given at Nutwood Stock Farm near Irvington on Sunday afternoon, June 29 next. Trotting and pacing will take place and several fast horses are entered. The track has been put into excellent shape and has been graded since the last meeting.

Among the horses entered for the June 29 races are:

M. C. Joseph's "Lady Alwin."
Geo. Bond's "Harry B."
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TEAMS	AT NILES	AT NEWARK	AT IRVINGTON	AT DECOTO	AT CENTERVILLE	OPEN DATES
NILES	Read	May 25 August 3	April 20 June 29	May 4 July 13	June 22 August 31	May 18, June 8, July 27, Aug. 17.
NEWARK	June 15 August 24	The Press	May 4 July 13	May 18 July 27	June 1 August 10	April 27, June 22, July 6, Aug. 31
IRVINGTON	April 27 July 6	June 8 August 17	for	June 22 August 31	May 18 July 27	May 11, June 1, July 20, Aug. 10.
DECOTO	August 10 June 1	May 11 July 20	June 15 August 24	Sporting	April 27 July 6	April 20, May 25 June 29, Aug. 3
CENTERVILLE	May 11 July 20	April 20 June 29	May 25 August 3	June 8 August 17	News	May 4, June 15, July 13, Aug. 24

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the BANK OF CENTERVILLE a Corporation of Centerville, California, will be held in the banking-room of the banking-house of said corporation situated in the Town of Centerville, County of Alameda, State of California at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of Saturday the 5th day of July A. D. 1913 for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing term and for the transaction of any and all business required by the by-laws of said corporation and for such other and further business that may legally and properly come before said meeting in accordance with the laws of the State of California. Proxies to be valid must be filed with the secretary at least five (5) days before the day of meeting. Witness my hand and the seal of said Corporation this 7th day of June, A. D. 1913.

F. T. DUSTERBERRY, Secretary.
(CORPORATE SEAL)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

In the matter of the estate of Jose Duarte, Sr., also sometimes written and known as Joe Duarte, Sr., Deceased.

No. 16027, Dept. No. 4

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY ORDER OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE SHOULD NOT BE MADE.

It appearing to the Court by the petition this day presented and filed by Joe Duarte, Jr., administrator of the estate of Jose Duarte, Sr., also sometimes written and known as Joe Duarte, Sr., deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, for the best interest, benefit and advantage of all persons interested, and to pay the debts, expenses and charges of administration:—

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 23rd. day of June, 1913 at 10 O'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the administrator to sell so much of

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Sarah P. Osgood, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the Estate of Sarah P. Osgood, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within Ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Thos. J. Power, attorney at law, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Sarah P. Osgood, deceased.

T. D. WITHERLY
Adminstrator of the estate of Sarah P. Osgood, deceased.

Dated Oakland May 21st. 1913.
THOS. J. POWER
Attorney for said administrator, Irvington, Alameda County, California.
First Publication May 24th. 1913.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Charlotte L. Haines, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Charlotte L. Haines, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within Ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor at the office of Thomas C. Huxley, Rooms 1101 and 1110 Union Savings Bank Building, North East Corner of Broadway and Thirteenth Streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Charlotte L. Haines, deceased.

JOSEPH B. HAINES
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Charlotte L. Haines, deceased.

Dated, Oakland May 23rd. 1913.
THOMAS C. HUXLEY
Attorney for Estate, Union Savings Bank Bldg. Oakland.

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said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks in the Washington Press, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda County.

F. B. OGDEN
Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated May 10th. 1913.

Classified Ads.

FOUND— Between Easterday's corner and the Southern Pacific station in Niles, a bicycle chain. Inquire at The Press office.

FOR SALE—10 acre place, greater part in orchard. 1 mile south of Niles on Cherry Lane. Owner wishes to retire on account of ill health. Inquire of Joe S. Luna at property.

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C. Runckel and wife and Miss Fay Haines accompanied a group of Decoto pupils to San Francisco last Saturday on a sight-seeing trip. Those in the party were Carrie and Elsie Silva, Agnes Enos, Rosie Bernardo, Ollie Duarte, Rose Smith, Joe Costa, Joe Kelly and Louise Runckel.

The trip included a visit to the mint were the young people had a chance to learn of the process of coining money and saw more gold than most of them ever hope to have. Then the San Francisco post office building was visited and the magnificent corridors admired and a peep taken into the United States court room with its elegant furnishings. From there they went to Golden Gate park, saw all the animals, got a few pointers on hand ball and tennis andthen spent quite a while in the museum. The old New England kitchen, the Egytian room, the art galleries, and all were visited and then the party took in the Cliff house spent a merry hour on the beach. visited the Sutro baths and got to the ferry just in time for the last bat home. It was a great day for the young people many of whom had never before seen any of these attractions.

The new school fence about the Decoto School yard has recently been treated to a coat of paint. The color is dark green and with the tennis court, baseball back stop, benches, and other fixtures painted the same color give a decidedly improved appearance to the grounds which were already the finest in the township.

Mrs. Lizzie Williams has been reccommended by the Chamber of Cemmerce for the appointment of librarian to succeed the late T. S. Feriera.

Miss Annis Whipple left Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Whipple at Towle, Placer Co.

The reception and dance given Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Cordeiro, Wednesday evening in Silva's Hall, was very largely attended. Friends of the young people from Alvarado Newark and Centerville and other towns were present and a very happy time was had.

Mrs. S. Anderson and Mrs. Will Anderson were in Oakland, Tuesday.

The hay crop about Decoto is one of the biggest for years as very little was cut for grain.

Remember the dance to be given at Silva's Hall, Decoto, tonight for they benefit of the Decoto Catholic choir fund.

The Decoto Chamber of Commerce at its last meeting decided to ask the Board of Supervisors and the District Attorney's office to continue the Justice Court at Decoto. The Board of Supervisors filed the report and District Attorney Hynes wrote the Decoto body that it was not in the power of his office to grant such a request.

The Justice Court has gone to Irvington and Decoto's brief prominece in this line is a thing of the past until some new Decoto candidate brings the laurels home to his town.

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Niles, Cal.
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S. P. TIME TABLE

NILES

Toward San Francisco:

No.	Lv. Niles	Train	Ar. O. Pier.
89	5.50a	San Jose	7.00a
93	7.00	Livermore	8.00
91	7.48	San Jose	9.00
99	8.45	Liv. Pas. Sund only	9.36
95	9.00	Stockton Flyer	9.45
95	12.10p	San Jose	1.20p
181	1.35	Stockton	2.25
31	2.59	Stockton $ Sacramento Express	4.00
37	6.10	Sacramento	7.00
511	6.20	Dumbarton	7.25
51	9.28	Fresno	10.15
191	10.03	Coast Local	10.50
149*	10.50	Pleasanton	11.50

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From San Francisco:

Leave Oak. 1st. St.			Arr. Niles
110	2.45a	The Newsboy	3.37a
500	4.00	San Jose	4.55
90	7.07	San Jose	8.15
82	7.47	Sac'to. Passenger	8.45
32	9.27	Stockton & Sacto.	10.30
192	10.47	Coast Local	11.50
92	1.27p	San Jose Pass.	2.30p
504	1.47	Milk Train	2.50
94	3.07	San Jose Pass.	4.15
38	4.27	Stockton Pass.	5.17
96	5.07	Livermore Pass.	6.20
80	5.27	Stockton Flyer	6.10
182	5.47	Stockton	6.47
98	6.47	San Jose	7.57

AT THE CHURCHES

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Evening services held regularly at St. James Episcopal church on the first Sunday of each month. Services will be held at 7.45 o'clock.

NILES CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH SERVICES

Regular services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and evening at 7.45

Sabbath school at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

C. E. service in the evening at 6.30.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.45. A most cordial invitation is extended to all of these services.

CENTERVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY

Services Sunday morning as usual at 11 o'clock.

Sabbath school will be held at 10 a. m. Everybody welcome.

NEWARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES

Sabbath school at 9.50.

Regular worship at 11. Preaching by pastor. C. E. at 6.30. Evening worship at 7.30.

TRINITY MISSION WILL HOLD EVENING SERVICES

Divine Service will be held in the Guild Hall, Niles, every Sunday at 7.30 p. m., except on the first Sunday of each month when it will be at 11 o'clock and the Holy Communion will be administered.

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